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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: NYE-HINGSTON et al. Attorney Docket No.: P71243US0

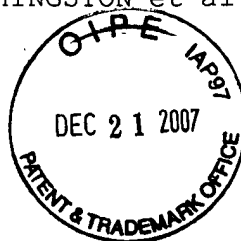
Serial No.: 10/577,056

Group Art Unit: 3676

Filed: July 24, 2006

Examiner: Lloyd A. Gall

For: CHILD SAFETY LOCK SYSTEM



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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time in the above-captioned application.

XX Small Entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

\_\_\_\_\_ A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

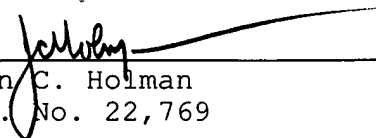
Claims	Highest	Present	Small Entity	Other Than A
Remaining	Number	Extra		Small Entity
After	Previously		Rate Addit. (or)	Rate Addit.
Amendment	Paid For		Fee	Fee
Total 8 - 20 = 0			x 25 = \$	x 50 = \$
Indep. 1 - 3 = 0			x100 = \$	x200 = \$
First Presentation of				
Multiple Dependent Claim			+180 = \$	+360 = \$
Total Additional Fee			\$	\$

XX Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$230.00 is attached for: Petition for Extension of Time.

XX If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the credit card payment is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)-(5) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Dated: December 21, 2007  
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